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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

IVO WILHELMUS J.M. RUTTEN

Serial No. 10/005,689

Filed: 11/08/2001

For: CHIP-MOUNTED CONTACT SPRINGS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of three (3) MONTH(S) to respond to the Notice of Incomplete Reply (Non Provisional) mailed on 02/26/2002.

Because of this extension, the time period for response will expire on 06/03/2002. Filed herewith are Substitute Specification.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 14-1270 in the amount of \$890, the fee for this extension; and charge any additional fees except for the Issue Fee, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

Respectfully submitted,

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